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For : ELECTRONIC COMPONENT MOUNTING METHOD, AND CIRCUIT  
SUBSTRATE AND CIRCUIT SUBSTRATE UNIT USED IN THE  
METHOD

**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents  
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Sir:

Prior to an examination of the above-identified patent application, the Examiner is respectfully requested to amend the claims and Abstract as follows:

**Amendments to the Claims** appear in the Listing of Claims beginning on page 2 of this Preliminary Amendment.

**Amendments to the Abstract** begin on page 6 of this Preliminary Amendment

**Remarks** begin on page 8 of this Preliminary Amendment.